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DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING

THE SAME

Examiner: R. Kunemund

## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated March 3, 2006 (Paper No. 20060303), for which a response was due on June 6, 2006. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a 2 month(s) extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to August 6, 2006. August 6, 2006 is Sunday, thus extending the deadline for response to Monday August 7, 2006. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

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